THE EVENING TELEGRAPH.

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EAST FIRST ST. (In with Yates.)

- Have you paid your taxes?
- Eddie Whetstein has the mumps.
- State's Attorney C. B. Morrison is in Chicago.
- Miss Della Robinson returned to Chicago this morning.
- In he "want" column a party is advertising for a letter press.
- Is a lady sac-religious who goes to church to exhibit her sealskin sacque?
- Lee Raffenberger came home last night from a visit with relatives in towns west.
- Mrs. Caldwell will preach to business men Thursday evening at the Methodist church.
- Charles Plein has a new nickel-in-the-slot machine and combined cigar lighter on his counter.
- The geese are flying north. They are geese, sure enough, to go where it is any colder than it is here.
- Deforest Smith is suffering from a fall caused by a loose board in the sidewalk on East Fourth street.
- Mr. Hawes, the phonograph man at C. A. Lucas' store, is very obliging and has many beautiful new pieces.
- Revival services tonight at the Methodist church at 7:30. Mrs. Caldwell will preach. The public welcome.
- Miss N. L. Mountz, the expert nurse who has made many friends in this city, returned to Chicago this morning
- We would call attention to the new space occupied by W. F. Weaver & Co's advertisement on the front page of this paper.
- The mercury in the thermometer was fooling down toward zero again this morning—not much above no place; loath to let up.
- Mills & Petrie, of Ashton, have broke ground for the erection of a store building in that town. It is promised that Ashton will be greatly improved this year.
- Mrs. Daniel Smith's livery stable property, 50x120 feet, on Third street, was sold yesterday through the agency of Warner & Julien to George Stainbrook for $3,000 cash.
- The College supply store placed in position a large mail box case, made by Henry H. Treffer. The case contains over three hundred postoffice boxes which will be rented to students.
- Fred Klosterman, of Sterling, stopped in our city this morning on his way to Springfield to attend the G. A. R. convention. He was accompanied by members of the Sterling Relief Corps.
- Cards of invitation are out for the fourth of the series of select dances to be given by the Fargo Happy Six at Armory Hall, on Friday evening, March 24th. The music will be furnished by the Fargo Orchestra.
- Commencing Monday, March 20th, at McVicker's Theatre, Chicago, Eugene Tompkin's great sensation, the gorgeous syectacular production of "The Black Crook." Sixty thousand dollars invested in costumes and scenery.
- Loveland & Stitely sold yesterday to Henry Heckman two acres of land in Loveland Place. Mr. Heckman will at once erect a modern house for a home, from which he will get a fine view of the greaterportion of Dixon.
- Mrs. Charles Dougherty, aged about sixty years, living on Galena avenue between Eighth and Ninth streets, slipped on her door step this morning and broke both bones of the left fore arm. Drs. Law & Owens set the fractures.
- Mrs Jennie Caldwell, the evangelist, who is holding revival meetings at the Methodist church, received, a few days since, direct from Ireland, some sprigs of the genuine shamrock, a sort of St. Patrick offering from friends in the Emerald Isle.

The Pipua Daily Leader and the Maimi Weekly Leader, at Piqua, Ohio, the only democratic papers in a democratic city of 13 000 inhabitants, which have been in successful existence since 1864 and under its present ownership since 1875, are for sale at a bargain.

- Dr. Frees, an old settler of Carroll county, who has long resided at Milledgeville, has just been convicted of horse-stealing and will spend three years in the Joliet penitentiary. The arrest, as we stated at the time, was made at Rochelle some six or eight weeks ago.
- Emory Cobb for twenty-four years a member of the board of trustees of the Illinois University at Champaign, yesterday stepped down and out, the new democratic members of the board effecting an organization and making their first acquaintance with the university.
- The Baptist Mission of Dixon, organized recently by Rev. G. A. Turner, is prospering and showing constantly increasing interest. In connection therewith there will be organized a literary society tomorrow evening, with weekly evening meetings at their rooms, 158 Galena ave
- George H. Muffly, died last evening at his home in Amboy township, southeast of Eldena, aged about sixty years. Previous to his death he suffered greatly from carbuncles. He leaves a wife and three children. The funeral will be on Friday next, and he will be burried in Dixon.
- "Image," W. B. Page's famous little filly that made so many friends at the great races in Grand Rapids, Mich., last season, departed for Terre Haute, Indiana, last night, where she will go into training under the management of the great Bud Doble. "Image" is the most promising colt that Delmarch has produced.
- On St. Patrick's Day, Friday, the 17th, there will be a High Mass at half past ten in the morning. Father Fegen, of Sterling, will be the celebrant of the Mass, and Father Hagan, of Chicago, will preach the sermon. The choir will have a special musical program for the occasion. The sermon by the able and eloquent Father Hagan will be both instructive and inspiring.

New Uses for Aluminum.

Yesterday we mentioned the making of a set of aluminum horse-shoes by one of our local blacksmiths. The following on some of the uses to which this metal is being devoted, we find in a recent number of "The World's Progress; an illustrated journal of Art, Science, Invention and Discovery, published in Cincinnati, Ohio:

A boat builder in Philadelphia has commenced to build, for the Cornell crew, a racing shell of aluminum. The shell will be composed entirely of aluminum with the exception of the wash box, which will be of wood, and the outriggers, which are to be of steel tubing, cold drawn. The shell will weigh 175 pounds all told. Ordinary paper and ceder shells weigh about 225 pounds, and a 200 pound eight oared shell is an exceedingly light one. The aluminum shell will be built in two pieces, being divided fore and aft and then joined together amidships. It is designed to carry an average weight of 175 pounds per man. The aluminum from which this shell is being made is one-twentieth of an inch thick and weighs about seven ounces to the square foot.

Russia has tried an experiment with aluminum shoes for cavalry horses, which will no doubt prove especially interesting to the owner of Nancy Hanks and other flyers. A few horses in the Finland dragoons were shod with one aluminum shoe and three iron shoes each, the former being on the fore foot in some cases and on the hind foot in others. The experiments lasted six weeks, and showed that the aluminum shoes lasted longer and preserved the foot better than the iron ones. No aluminum shoes broke, and they were used over again for reshoeing the horses. Moreover, they were worked over hard and very stony ground. The most important fact of all is that aluminum horse shoes are only one third to one-fourth the weight of iron shoes.

- W. H. Woodring met with a very painful accident yesterday afternoon in one of the Rock Falls factories. While at work he became entangled in a lathe in such a manner that before he could extricate himself a boring bit cut nearly through his left arm, just below the elbow.
- We have just been shown by F. V. Dudley, of the firm of Dudley Bros., portrait artists, Chicago, some very fine samples of their work, among them a striking life-sized likeness of Chief Justice Fuller in pastel. Mr. Dudley will in about two weeks establish himself in this city for a time, when we may have more to say about his work.
- "'Ark, from the tombs a doleful sound;" for instance, this from the Sterling Gazette: "Farmers of the Rock river valley up around Dixon are wondering now what use to make of those arks they had constructed in anticipation of the freshets. Better hold them awhile." Our ante-deluvian neighbors down the river can have those arks. Don't Noah's we want 'em.
- On the evening of St Patrick's Day, the 17th, the young people of St. Patrick's parish will hold their annual ball at the Armory Hall. Prof. Smith's orchestra will furnish the music, which will therefore be excellent. Lunch will be served by the ladies after 12 o'clock. By a toleration, which seems to have become a custom, St. Patrick's Day is enjoyed in Lent as an oasis in the desert.
- The Ill. Press Association assembled in Rockford yesterday with an unusually large attendance. The session was opened last night at Unity Hall by President Lewis, of Lena. Mayor Starr welcomed the Association, and his excellent address was appropriately responded to by E. A. Snively, of Springfield. The sessions today and tomorrow will be of peculiar interest, and conclude with a banquet Thursday evening.
- It seems that the ice has not yet all gone out of the upper Rock River. A dispatch from Beloit to the Rockford Register Gazette yesterday says: "Rock river has fallen about 12 inches. An immense ice gorge has formed in the river against the upper bridge, and that structure is slowly weakening under the great strain and its destruction seems inevitable. At 8 o'clock this morning the river had risen slightly, but now seems stationary. Most of the danger is evidently over."
- Byron is moving like a person possessed in the direction of good roads. The scheme is to bond the town in the sum of $15 000, $1,000 to be paid each year for five years and the balance to be paid at the option of the town after that time. No bonds are to run longer than 15 years. The Express thinks this scheme looks reasonable and practical and there is no doubt but it will bring about good roads in a very short time. All that remains now is for the people to agree to it.
- The following item is going the rounds of the papers: A mean man in Galena dropped a valentine into the postoffice addressed to the prettiest girl in town. The postmaster advertised it and the next day had four hundred and eighty three call for it. So many girls called at the same time that the postmaster didn't have nerve enough to give it to any of them. The result is that every girl in Galena between the ages of fifteen and fory-two is mad at the postmaster and buys her stamps at the drug store just to spite him.
- Prof Purcell, of Sterling, has made some desirable acquisitions of "way up" people for the "Schuberts," which as reorganized will be better than ever. Miss Grace Dyer, who the past season was the prima dona for the Boston Madrigal Club, will be the Schubert's new soprano; Miss Minnie Bowman, who has been with the same company, will be the new reader and alto; Mrs. Lottie Lawrence and the famous little child singer and actress "Baby Lawrence," are also valuable additions. Mrs. Lawrence plays the cornet and violin and is in great demand as a soloist. Baby Lawrence and Master Tommy Purcell are of equal age and the tots will appear in specialties.

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House and lot on 10th street near South Galena Ave, price $1500.00.

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A great many desirable properties on our list can be sold now at prices that would make good safe investments.

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Announcement.

JAMES CORCORAN announces himself as a candidate for Tax Collector of the Town of Dixon at the coming April election, and respectfully asks for the support his friends can give.

HENRY MEYER will be a condidate for Tax Collector of the Town of Dixon at the coming spring election and hopes to receive the suffrages of all his friends

GEORGE W. SMITH wishes to announce himself as a candidate for tax collector of the town of Dixon, at the coming spring election and will be thankful for the support of his friends.

CONRAD W. KENTNER will be a candidate for election to the office of Township Collector at the coming spring election of officers, and will be thankful for suffrage of his friends

M. C. WEYBURN will be a candidate for the office of Highway Commissioner at the approaching April election of officers for the town of Dixon.

CHARLES D. RAMSEY will be a candidate for constable at the coming town-ship election in April, and solicits the suffrage of his friends

SETH F. THOMAS will be a candidate for Constable at the comming April election and will be thankful for the support of his freinds at the polls.

By the request of my friends I announce myself a candidate for the office of Assessor, for the township of Dixon, at the coming election, and ask the support of Dixon voters.
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6 ROOM FLAT over Duffin's Drug store, Possession given April 1st. House supplied with water. Inquire of M. Jordan. 35tf

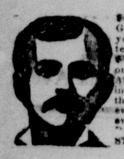
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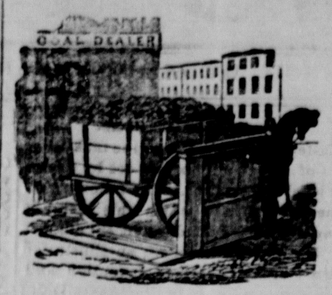
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THOSE COMMITTEES

They Are as They Were Originally Reported.

DEMOCRATS COMPLETE THEIR WORK

Free Silver Stewart Significantly Honored—Republicans Seem in Doubt as to "Where He Is At"—Some Western Applicants for Interior Department Places—Civil Service Commission Embarrassed for Lack of $1,000—A Commission To Go to Hawaii—Five Millions in Free Gold.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Either the members of the senate committee quoted in these dispatches yesterday, or the persons who reported what they said, seem to have been talking at random, for the committee not only didn't wait for the Republicans to complete their work on the standing committees before giving out the assignment, but when given out they proved to be practically what had been published. This would seem to show that the members of a senatorial committee pledged particularly to secrecy are peculiarly liable to gairulity—provided that yesterday's report was correct.

Some Additional Chairmahships.

The list given in these dispatches yesterday was correct as far as it went, but there was one omission that was singnificant—the committee on mines and mining. Stewart Rep., was chairman of this committee under Republican rule, is as as well known a radical free silver man and was permitted to retain the chairmanship by the Democratic steering committee. No other Republican was done such an honor. There are one or two other chairmanships that may be noted as follows: George, agriculture; Turpie, census; coast defense, Gordon; national banks, Mitchell of Wisconsin.

Discussing the Elective Officers.

There was a prevailing sentiment in the caucus committee in favor of a speedy reorganization of the clerical and executive force of the senate and the sentiment took tangible shape immediately after the adjournment of the caucus, when the committee met in Ransom's room for the purpose of considering the subject.

The Geographical Division.

The south gets thirty-one of the chairmanships, the north and west thirteen and the Populist senators four. The Republican committee which is arranging the minority representation on the committees was at work again yesterday and its report will be ready for presentation to the Republican caucus. Eleven chairmanships of committees of minor importance will be given to Republican senators. The Republicans decline to give out anything. It is said that there has been quite a pressure brought to bear upon the committee to remove Stewart from the Republican representation on the comaittee on appropriations and it is not unlikely that this will be done in view of the fact that he has been kept by the Democrats as chairman of the committee on mines and mining.

AFTER INTERIOR POSITIONS.

A List of Western Men Who Would Like to Serve Under Smith.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Applications for appointment to the more important positions in the interior department have been filed by the following western: Commissioner of patents—Benton J. Hall, Iowa; James H. Price, Illinois; Fremont Arford, Ohio.

Commissioner of pension—George W. Jones, Indiana; B. Stewart Moffitt, Ohio; Everard Bierer, Kansas; William E. McLean, Indiana; H. H. Wheeler, Michigan; S. S. Yoder, Ohio; S. F. Busey, Illinois; John C. Black, Illinois; Charles A. Zollinger, Indiana.

Commissioner of general land office—Daniel M. Browning, Illinois; N. D. Ricks, Illinois; George E. Engle, Minnesota; Thomas R. Shaw, Ohio; C. H. Mansur, Missouri; Silas W. Lamoreux, Wisconsin.

Commissioner of Indian affairs—Lucas M. Miller, Wisconsin; John G. Timmons, Indiana; John S. Oberly, Illinois.

Commissioner of railroads: Allan E. Morrison, Iowa. Some of these have not personally applied, but have been strongly recommended.

Not Rushing in Resignations.

Collector of customs, commissioners of immigration, internal revenue collectors and other treasury officials located throughout the country are taking the president at his word that they are to be allowed to serve out their terms of four years. Only two resignations of this class have so far been received, that of Colonel Weber, and Collector Hendricks, both of New York City.

A Hint From Indiana.

A telegram has been received by Secretary Gresham, signed by all the state officers of Indiana, stating that the appointment of Hon. William E. English to be minister to Sweden could give general satisfaction to the Democrats of Indiana.

SPECIAL COMMISSION FOR HAWAII.

That Policy Definitely Decided Upon by the Cabinet.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The policy of sending a special commission to Hawaii for the purpose of ascertaining the sentiment of the people there upon the question of annexation with the United States was definitely decided upon at the cabinet meeting yesterday. Practically, the entire session was devoted to the consideration of this matter, and Cleveland and his advisers discussed the situation very fully. It is understood, however, that the commission will consist of three members, a civilian and a representative of both the army and navy.

Blount To Be Chairman.

Ex-Representative Blount, of Georgia, who was the chairman of the house committee on foreign affairs in the last congress, will probably act as chairman of the commission. Major General Schofield, it is thought, will represent the army, and Admiral Brown is said to be slated as the naval representative. The cabinet also agreed upon the instructions to be sent to Minister Stevens and these will be forwarded by the first steamer leaving San Francisco for Honolulu.

WOULDN'T APPROPRIATE $1,000.

Consequently the Civil Service Commission Has to Stop Work.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The civil service commission yesterday took the necessary action to cancel all examinations scheduled to be held between March 28, 1893, and June 30, 1893, in the states of Missouri, Illinois, Ohio, Indiana, New York, Wisconsin, Iowa, Nebraska, New Jersey, Connecticut, Delaware, Idaho and Wyoming, also the examinations scheduled for Pittsburg, Pa., Garden City, Kan.; Grand Junction, Colo., and Salt Lake City, Utah. In explanation of this action Commissioner Roosevelt said that the cancellation of these dates was made necessary by the failure of congress at its last session to appropriate sufficent money to pay the travelling expenses of the examiners.

Congress Was Fully Informed.

When the schedules were prepared the commission had barely enough funds available to do its work. Subsequently, by order of the president, all free delivery postoffices were included within the classified service. This additional work necessitated considerable expenditure, and when a deficiency became apparent the commission asked congress for $1,000 to cover the time until next year's appropriation became available, explaining that the work of the commission could not be continued without it. The deficiency appropriation was not made, however, and the commission now finds itself unable to hold the examinations already provided for and leaving no alternative but to cancel them.

Precious Columbian Documents.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The department of state has received from the United States legation at Madrid a list of the original Columbus manuscripts which are loaned by the duke of Veramua, the living decendant of Columbus, for exhibition at the World's fair. Some of the most interesting and precious historical cocuments in the world are in the collection. The original contract made with Columbus with the sovereigns of Spain is among them. All of the documents are either written by Columbus or Ferdinand and Isabella.

The Free Gold Increasing.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The aggregate of free gold now in the treasury is a little more than $5,000,000. Several offers were yesterday received from western points aggregating $500,000. Secretary Carlisle is accepting these offers as fast as he can supply the neccessary notes for them. The most advantageous offers are now accepted only.

McAdoo to Assist Herbert.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Speculation concerning the assistant secretaryship of the navy is practically set at rest by the statement that the apointment has been definitely settled upon. In a high official who stands close to the president the statement that ex-Congressman McAdoo has been selected finds its source.

Will Get a Chicago Office.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The statement is made that Frank X. Brandecker will receive the appointment of collector of internal revenue for the Chicago district. He is the leader of the German Democrats on the north side in Chicago, and is regarded as a powerful factor in the politics of the Windy City.

Ex-Gov. Gray Has a Cold.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Ex-Governor Gray, of Indiana, the newly appointed minister to Mexico, is confined to his room, with a severe cold. As soon as he recovers he will leave for his home and prepare to start to his post of duty as soon as his nomination is confirmed.

Austria's Remarkable Empress.

VIENNA, March 15.—It appears that the real cause of the emperor of Austria's unexpected visit to Territet was a change for the worse in the health of the empress, of which entire sleeplessness is one of the symptoms. An eminent specialist was also summoned there to meet him. The empress is now engaged in the study of Greek, and desires, if possible, to make a tour of India. Her medical advisers favor these ideas as tending to distract her attention from the melancholy reflections in which she is too disposed to indulge.

Watch Out for This Rascal.

NEW YORK, March 15.—Postmaster Van Cott makes the following announcement: A swindler is traveling through the west falsely pretending to represent the United States Subscription agency, 214 Broadway, New York, receiving subscriptions for the trade and other newspapers published in Philadelphia, New York and other cities. There is no such agency at the above address. The swindler gives receipts to those from whom he receives subscriptions, signing them "Wilson," "Cleveland" and other assumed names.

The Loss Was Overstated.

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., March 15.—General Manager John Kuesi, of the Edison company, has furnished the following statement in regard to the damage by the flood: "The loss that has been reported in various daily papers as sustained by the Edison General Electric company has been greatly over-estimated by unauthorized reports, and at this hour when everything is in plain view we find that the loss will not exceed $50,000 to $75,000." It was put at $2,000,000.

Minnesota Municipal Election.

ST. PAUL, March 15.—One hundred towns and villages of Minnesota held biennial elections yesterday. Most of the candidates were chosen on citizens, or people's tickets and political lines were not closely drawn. The license men secured notable victories at Fairmont and Hancock and the temperance people came out ahead at Atwater. Two saloon men were elected to the council at Red Lake Falls. The license men carried Sioux Falls, S. D., by a majority of 81.

Satan Reproves Sin.

BOSTON, March 15.—Charles H. Avery, of Boston, who was discharged from the state prison last fall after serving a four years' term for forgery, is out in a public statement concerning the condition of affairs at the prison while he was undergoing sentence. He says the hoodlum element among the convicts has control of the prison and that respectable prisoners are in constant fear of their lives because they will not side with the tough gang.

Predicts a Great Labor Upheaval.

PITTSBURG, March 15.—A gentleman at one time connected with one of the most influential labor organizations in this section of the country, and who is still in touch with the latest developments in the industrial world is authority for the statement that the coming summer will witness a conflict between capital and labor engaged in all branches of the iron trade unparalleled in the history of the United States.

A Michigan Man Tempting Fate.

NEW YORK, March 15.—"I came from Michigan to get a wife, and I won't go home without one." This was the startling declaration made by John Meir, a farmer hailing from Townhope, Mich., to Matron Boyle, of the immigration labor bureau. A dozen women who, like Barkis, were "willin'" were shown Meir, but he didn't admire any of them. He still declares that he will not return home until he gets a wife.

WINDY SHOT AGAIN

It Hurries Nine Coal Miners Into Eternity.

EIGHT OTHERS TERRIBLY WOUNDED

Only One Unhurt of Eighteen Men in the Mine at the Time—Bodies of the Dead Terribly Mangled and Almost Unrecognizable—Anderson, I. T., the Scene of the Disaster—Seven Men Perish in the Prairie Fires in Kansas—Two Cavalry Soldiers Drowned.

MCALESTER, I. T., March 15.—There was an explosion in mine No. 1 at Anderson Monday night, caused by a windy shot fired by some person unknown. There were only eighteen men in the mine at the time, all of whom were firing shots at the time. Of these, nine were killed outright and eight so badly burned that they will probably die. The excitement is so intense that is almost impossible to ascertain the names of the dead and injured.

First Six Bodies Recovered.

The dead who have already been taken from the mine are: John McFadden, John E. Scanlan, W. E. Warren, Ernst Matthews, Warren Love and Jules Triocori. The mine is owned and operated by the Choctaw Coal company and is considered one of the best in their possession. A windy shot, which caused the explosion, is the blast which is set by the miners during the day and shot by men whose duty it is when all the day men are out of the mine.

Only One of Eighteen Unhurt.

A dull, muffled, rumbling and trembling like an earthquake gave warning to the engineer at the mouth of shaft that the deadly fire damp had caused an explosion in the mine. He sounded the alarm and as soon as possible a rescuing party was lowered in the cage. A pitiable sight met their eyes when they reached the bottom. In the main level lay the bodies of eight miners mangled and torn and in one side level were nine dead men who had been instantly killed by the explosion. Of the eighteen miners who were working on the shift but one was left unhurt and he told the story of the explosion.

The Bodies Terribly Mangled.

The injured men were taken to the top and cared for as well as possible and the work of recovering the dead bodies was begun. Some of them were so terribly mangled that recognition was almost impossible. The injured were: John Baltigh, W. P. Rice, Herman Rhody, Nathan Covalla, Jasper Patten, Andrew Coleman and Peter Cody.

The mine is owned and operated by the Choctaw Coal company on the line of the Choctaw Coal and Railroad company and was located by Edwin D. Chadwick in 1888 and opened in May, 1889, and has been in operation since. It is considered the best of the lot of shafts run by the company.

No More Deaths Anticipated.

The company's surgeons, who were kept busy all day caring for wounded, state that they do not anticipate any more deaths, though the condition of several of the victims who have come here within the past year from Indiana and Pennsylvania is very critical. Burns, one of the victims, entered the mine for the first time Monday night. Scanlan and Love had evidently made every effort to escape, having crawled some distance, the former having buried his face in a pool of water. Had the accident occurred at any other hour of the twenty-four the loss of lif would have been terrible, as 400 men are employed there during the day. The damage to the mining property was very slight.

Perished in Prairie Fires.

SALINA, Kas., March 15.—Reports are meager regarding the number of lives lost and damage done by the recent prairie fires in Russell county. Seven men perished in the flames. The names of five of the victims are: William Bailey, David Hutchinson, Albert More; McDonald, a son of Mrs. Lefevre, the proprietor of the Dorrance hotel, and a strange man, name unknown. They had been out feeding stock and were returning home when the wind suddenly changed, catching them between two great head fires rushing together.

There Was Lightning in the Water.

OGDEN, U. T., March 15.—The six story Utah Loan and Trust company's building, the finest in the city, was gutted by fire yesterday. Fireman Lewis McIntosh, of Ogden, was struck with a stream of water which had come in contact with an electric wire and received a shock from which fatal results are feared. Total loss, about $125,000; insurance, $55,000.

Drowned While Fording a Creek.

WICHITA, Kan., March 15.—James Howard and Will Morgan, two troopers belonging to the Fifth cavalry, were drowned while fording a creek south of Caldwell in the Cherokee strip. They were on their way from Fort Reno to Caldwell, where their troop arrived last evening to patrol the border and keep trespassers out of the strip.

Died to Save a Pet Dog.

BALTIMORE, March 15.—Kate Swedinger, 7 years of age, lost her life yesterday in trying to save a pet dog. The dog ran in front of a cable car. Katie tried to pull the animal away, fell beneath the car and died with her pet.

Wounded Will All Recover.

CONNELLSVILLE, Pa., March 15.—The five men most seriously injured in the mine explosion at Whitsett Monday are resting quietly, and it is thought now that all will recover. Mine inspector has Duncan gained consciousness.

"Rush Order" at the World's Fair.

CHICAGO, March 15.—Director General Davis' second "rush order" to exhibitors at the fair was sent out yesterday. Although 100 car loads of displays came to the park during the day and 250 had reached the city, Colonel Davis warned exhibitors that they must hurry their goods along, as the time for receiving exhibits expires April 10. During the day Colonel Davis gave orders that electric lights be placed in all the buildings at once in order that work may go on twenty-four hours a day.

Opened a $3,000,000 Hotel.

NEW YORK, March 15.—The new $3,000,000 Waldorff hotel at Fifth avenue and Thirty-third street, said to be the most beautiful and costliest in the world, was opened last evening for a concert in aid of charity. The formal opening of the hotel took place today. Among the 1,200 present last night were the leaders of fashionable society in this city, Boston, Philadelphia and Chicago.

They're Particular at Johnstown.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., March 15.—Antonio Astoria, who moved his trunk from one boarding house to another on Sunday has been fined $4 and costs for desecrating the "Sabbath."

TAKING IT MIGHTY EASY.

Illinois Legislators Agree to Take Nearly a Week's Rest.

SPRINGFIELD, March 15.—The bill to permit Chicago to extend her electric light plant was laid over by the senate yesterday at the request of its champion, Senator Thiele. The bill to provide a booth for seventy-five voters instead of every 100 was passed, as was the bill to compel fire insurance companies to pay full policy in case of complete loss. The bills were passed putting building associations under state inspection and requiring foreign associations to deposit bonds. The following nominations were laid over under the rule: Trustees feeble minded institute, Lincoln—Theodore N. Green, of Pekin; Charles A. Purdunn, of Marshall, Clark county; Charles M. Dunlap, of Mount Sterling. Trustees institution for the blind, Jacksonville—A. L. Lowe, of Robinson; Henry Phillips, of Virginia, Cass county; Charles A. Barnes, of Jacksonville.

Little Done in the House.

The house established the precedent that less than a quorum can compel the attendance of members. The special order—the resolution for a constitutional convention—was postponed until March 21. The compulsory education bill was made special order for the same date. A number of bills were ordered to second reading and another lot introduced. Both houses agreed to adjourn today until Monday.

THE ARK WAS "IN HIS MIND."

A Syrian Priest Who Told a Wild Yarn Sent to the Asylum.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 15.—J. J. Nouri, who created a sensation throughout the Christian world by announcing he had discovered Noah's ark was sent to the asylum for insane yesterday. Nouri is a native of Syria, 38 years of age, an ordained priest of the Russian church. He arrived here about a year ago after having traveled extensively in the Orient, and when interviewed told the story of his ascent of Mount Ararat, and reaching a point so near the summit that he plainly saw the ark shrouded in snow.

An Elegant Time at a Wedding.

MUNICH, March 15.—At a wedding which took place in a village in the Neuburg district the young men engaged in a fight which assumed such proportions that thirty of them covered the field of battle before the gendarmes, called in by the frightened bride, brought it to a standstill by threatening to shoot a volley into their midst. Before the gendarmes arrived the whole house had been demolished, all the wedding presents smashed, and the groom so badly wounded that he had to be taken to bed, where he now lies disabled.

The Squire Tested His Sanity.

CINCINNATI, March 15.—George Meyers was tried in Squire Wilson's court yesterday for obtaining money under false pretenses. The squire thought Myers was demented. To test his theory the squire found the defendant guilty and sentenced him to be shot immediately. Myers hastily prepared for death with pale face, but with the utmost coolness he said a prayer and bared his bosom, not flinching when the weapon touched him. He was dismissed.

The Ex-Presidential Duck Hunt.

CANTON, Ill., March 15.—Ex-President Benjamin Harrison and party arrived at Liverpool, a small village on the Illinois river about twelve miles from this city, Monday. The party is quartered on the pleasure steamer City of Peoria. The hunters have not met with very good success, as it is rather too early for ducks on the river.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

Cora Bell and Reuben Cosley are in jail at Tuscolona, Miss., on charge of attempting to wreck a train on the New Orleans and Northeastern railway. They were run down with bloodhounds.

Fire destroyed part of the Exeter (N. H.,) cotton mills, causing a loss of $250,000 and throwing 240 hands out of work.

Gladstone has nearly recovered from his illness. It was only a cold.

The pecuniary result of the papal jubilee is a gain to the coffers of the Vatican of upwards of £250,000, as well as jewels, plate and other valuable articles which are estimated to be worth nearly £200,000.

The Germans in Africa have had a scrimmage with the natives, resulting in the sudden death of Chief Sikki, a great obstacle to German progress.

United States Senator Roach, recently elected by the North Dakota legislature, is said to have left Washington under a cloud after the embezzlement in the Citizens' National bank in that city in 1879.

Obituary: At Bloomingdale insane asylum, Harry Kernell, the comedian, aged 40. At Windsor, Ont., Colonel Arthur Rankin, father of McKee Rankin. At Richmond, Va., L. E. Whaley, D. D., L. L. D. At Buffalo, N. Y., George W. Hayward. At Toronto, Ont., Lady Mowat, wife of Sir Oliver Mowat, premier of Ontario, aged 68. At Argenta, Ills., D. R. F. Carr.

The statement of the Reading receivers shows liabilities of $18,472,828 and assets of $15,779,784, an excess of liabilities of $2,693,043.

A Texas dispatch announces the death of the Arbuckle mountain hermit who claimed to be Lord Herbert, an English nobleman.

The marriage of Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria and the daughter of the duke of Parma is to be celebrated at Viareggio, Italy, on July 10.

An Omaha judge has ruled that a divorce is a "necessary of life," and that the husband is resposible for all costs incurred by the wife attempting to indulge herself in such "necessaries."

At Point Pleasant, Ills., in the woods fifteen miles north of Newton, the charred bones of Mrs. Julia Goodman were discovered among the smoking ruins of her house. As she was thought to have considerable money and lived alone it is believed that she was murdered, then robbed and the building set on fire to conceal the crime.

The Duchess of Fife delights in gymnastics and is an accompslihed mistress of the art of fencing.

The empress of Germany's private wedding present to her relatives always consists of a very plain traveling clock, for she values above all other virtues that of punctuality.

In Kansas City a man named his dog Christopher Columbus, and by a peculiar coincidence the license granted him was numbered 1,492.

The Simplon tunnel, which is to run from Bieg in Switzerland to Iselia in Italy, will take from eight to ten years for its completion. It will be the longest tunnel in the world, and will measure about twelve and a half miles from entrance to outlet.

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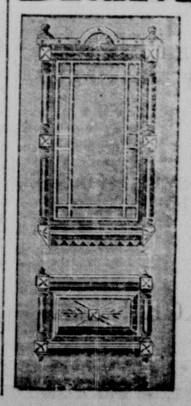
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America's Great Danger

AN ENGLISH COMMENTARY.

Said an eminent English scientist recently: "The danger that confronts the great American people to-day is not the possible adoption of a wrong financial policy for the nation, or the spread of socialism, or the increase of corruption among public men. All these are bad enough, to be sure, but they are as nothing compared to the terrible national disease—I had almost said national crime—of overwork. The mad rush for wealth is set at a killing pace, and thousands fall by the way every year.

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WATER SUBSIDING

Grand Rapids and Ionia Report Falling Rivers.

THE COUNTRY YET A GREAT LAKE.

Darkness Envelops the Former Place Owing to the Electric Light Works Being Ruined—Many Factories Closed in Both Localities and Great Damage Done—Saginaw Not Out of the Wet and the Floods Still Rising—Bridge Swept Away.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., March 15.—The river reached the high water mark at noon yesterday, sixteen feet four inches above the summer level, and never has it been so high before for so long a time. The water is slowly subsiding now and it is expected will go down rapidly. The Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad bridge abutments were weakened by the torrent yesterday and had to be strengthened with bags of sand. The water flowed clear over the west side canal bank and a layer of sand bags was laid along the top of the bank to prevent serious damage.

The Town in Total Darkness.

The streets of the city were in total darkness last night, the electric light works were submerged and the twelve dynamos ruined. The day was an anxious one and the manufacturers look grave at the loss sustained by the closing of the furniture factories when they are rushed with contract orders. South of the Lake Shore the country for miles is flooded. Butterworth avenue near the Standard Oil Co's. plant is overflowed to a depth of eighteen inches. All of the buildings of the companies are flooded.

Had to Go Home on Rafts.

Six houses on lower Park avenue are cut off by the flood, and two families moved out on rafts. Watson and Hovey streets are completely inundated and persons who left home yesterday morning on land returned at night on rafts. The Grand Rapids 'Cycle company has three feet of water in the engine room. The Grand Rapids Stove company, Voigt Milling company, the Kent Furniture company, the Grand Rapids Veneer company and F. Hartman were forced to shut down yesterday until the waters abate. The Chicago and West Michigan bridge is eight inches out of plumb.

Highway Bridge Carried Away.

Reports from Grand Haven are of a discouraging nature. Yesterday morning the highway bridge between Spring Lake and Grand Haven was carried away by an ice gorge and all wires went with it; even the railroads have no communication. The Detroit, Grand Haven and Michigan iron bridge at Ferrysburg is holding the gorge and gangs of men are attempting to break up the ice with dynamite. The fertile lowlands at the mouth of the Grand river are hidden by a huge lake.

Danger Past at Ionia.

IONIA, Mich., March 15.—Danger from the high water at this point is past. The water is subsiding rapidly. The factories, however, will not be able to resume business for a week, if they do then. After a two hours' search for William Speckin, who was thought drowned Monday night, it was found that he had crawled out of the water and gone to bed without notifying his brother watchmen of his escape. Reports from Muir, Portland, Grand Ledge and other points along the Grand river, except at the lower part, show that the danger there also is over and that the waters are falling.

Rising Rapidly at Saginaw.

SAGINAW, Mich., March 15.—An unbroken lake extends between here and Bay City, and the river is still rising rapidly. A large amount of lumber has been washed from the docks, most of which are completely submerged. Many cellars are flooded and merchants' stocks have been heavily damaged. The prospects are that the water will be higher than for fifteen years, as the snow in the woods is three feet deep and small streams are still full of ice.

Death of Louis Nettelhorst.

CHICAGO, March 15.—Louis Nettelhorst, one of the most prominent German-American citizens of Chicago, died suddenly last evening at his residence, 46 Wisconsin street. For nearly two years his health had been failing through the effects of an attack of the grip. He was born Feb. 4, 1851, in Bremen, Germany, and had been a resident of this city since 1870.

Whisky Trust Dividend Stopped.

PEORIA, March 15.—The directors of the Distillers' and Cattle Feeders' company met at their headquarters in this city yesterday in annual session. The principle feature of the meeting was the failure to declare a dividend—the first time in the history of the corporation—and the decision to follow a similar course in the future.

No Danger of a Flood Just Now.

ST. PAUL, March 15.—The danger from a flood in the Mississippi, Minnesota, Zumbro, Straight and St. Croix rivers is past for the present, as the storm of Monday was followed by a cold wave. The temperature at Moorhead, Minn., is 10 below zero; at St. Vincent, 12 below, and at zero or lower at all points north of St. Cloud.

Dodge Not Hiring Any More Men.

NEW YORK, March 15. — Charles E. Dodge, of No. 102 Fulton street, who advertised for 600 switchmen and trainmen, refused a number of applicants for work yesterday. To a reporter Dodge said he had all the men he needed, but was not at liberty to say where they were to be sent or by whom they were to be employed.

Killed an Anti-Adulteration Bill.

MADISON, Wis., March 15.—The senate has killed a bill to prevent the adulteration of lard. A petition was presented from sureties on the bond of ex-State Treasurer McKetridge asking the passage of the bill releasing him from payment of interest on the state funds, as it was financially impossible for him to do it.

Will Open the Polls Earlier.

LANSING, Mich., March 15.—The senate has passed a bill making the hour of opening the polls of elections 7 o'clock instead of 8 o'clock, as at present, and another providing for granting leave of absence to inmates of the industrial house for girls under certain conditions.

The Ann Arbor Railway Strike.

TOLEDO, March 15.—The Ann Arbor strike is practically at an end and the company expects to be running trains regularly today. Those in the secret, however, will not say a word as to the terms upon which the men will go back.

FIVE BURIED IN RUINS.

All Believed to Be Dead as the Result of a Chicago Fire.

CHICAGO, March 15.—Five persons were buried in the ruins of a frame cottage adjoining the picture factory of Stephen Chartier at 124 and 126 North May street as the result of a fire that broke out this morning. The wall of the factory building next the cottage toppled over on it, burying the inhabitants in a mass of brick and timbers.

List of the Supposed Dead.

Those buried in the ruins were: S. J. Chartier; Etienne Chartier; Rose Chartier, 10 years old, and Lillian Chartier, 12 years old. Stephen Chartier was rescued with a broken leg and internal injuries. The heat from the factory was so intense that the firemen could not work on the ruin, which was saved, however, from burning, and the imprisoned may be rescued alive, but it is doubtful.

Wants the P., D. and E. Restrained.

PEORIA, Ills., March 15.—Proceedings were commenced yesterday in the Peoria branch of the United States circuit court for an injunction restraining the officers and directors of the Peoria, Decatur and Evansville Railroad company from consolidating said railroad company with the Chicago and Ohio River Railroad company. The time for a hearing is set for March 24.

Insist on Native Engineers.

NEW YORK, March 15.—There is a possibility that the steamship Paris, of the American line, will not sail for Southampton as advertised. She will not, it is asserted by members of the machine engineers' association, be allowed to leave her pier unless the places of the aliens now employed in her engine rooms are in the meantime filled by either native or naturalized American engineers.

Rabbi Put in the "Fly" Cell.

CINCINNATI, March 15 — Rabbi J. S. Finkelstein, of the Carlisle avenue Jewish church, was arrested yesterday and placed in the "fly" cell of the Central police station on a charge of practicing a trick game—giving alleged divorces to Jewish couples for a consideration.

War Between Labor Bodies.

LYNN, March 15.—Shoe manufacturers here must either discharge Knight of Labor workmen and employ International shoemakers or lose their trade and go to the wall. Blue labels are the cause of the trouble. A war between the two labor bodies will follow.

English Horses to Run at Chicago.

CHICAGO, March 15.—Fitzroy Somerset, duke of Beaufort, a representative sporting man of Great Britain, cabled Secretary Brewster yesterday that he would ship two or three thoroughbreds from Liverpool about April 15 for the Washington Park meeting.

Republican League Convention.

NEW YORK, March 15.—President J. S. Clarkson has called the annual convention of Republican national league to meet at Louisville May 10. The national convention of the American Republican college league will be held at the same place May 11.

The Weather We May Expect.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The following are the weather indications for twenty-four hours from 8 p. m. yesterday: For Indiana—Local snows, followed by generally fair weather; continued cold northwesterly winds. For Illinois — Generally fair weather; northerly winds; slight rise in temperature in northwestern portion. For Michigan—Fair weather, except light local snows at lake stations; continued cold northerly winds. For Wisconsin—Generally fair weather; northerly winds. For Iowa—Fair weather; northerly winds, becoming variable; slightly warmer in western portion.

LIVE STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, March 14.

Following were the quotations on the board of trade today: Wheat — March, opened 73c, closed 72¾c; May, opened 76¼c, closed 76c; July, opened 73c, closed 72¾c. Corn —March, opened 41¼c, closed 41⅜c; May, opened 44c, closed 43¾c; July, opened 44¼c, closed 44¼c. Oats — May, opened 33c, closed 32¾c; June, opened 33c, closed 32¾c; July, opened 32¾c, closed 32¾c. Pork—May, opened $17.75, closed $17.37½; July, opened $17.65; closed $17.37½; September, opened $17.85, closed $17.40. Lard—May opened $12.10, closed $11.95.

Live stock—Hogs: The price at the Union stock yards today ranged as follows: Receipts for the day 10,000; quality fair; left over about 5,000; market was moderately active, with demand chiefly for shipment: shippers slow to buy; best grades about 5c higher; other grades unchanged; sales ranged at $4.80@7.10 pigs, $7.00@7.60 light, $7.3 @7.50 rough packing, $7.40@7.80 mixed and $7.55@7.90 heavy packing and shipping lots.

Cattle—Receipts for the day 5,000; quality only fair; market only moderately active on packing and shipping account; prices 5 10c lower; quotations ranged at $5.2.@5.90 choice to extra shipping steers, $4.50@5.20 good to choice do., $4.00@4.40 fair to good, $3.65@4.00 common to medium do., $3.40@4.00 butchers' steers, $2.50@3.25 stockers, $2.50@4.35 Texas steers, $3.30@4.35 feeders, $2.10@3.50 cows, $3.00@4.25 heifers, $2.25@3.75 bulls, and $3.00@6.50 veal calves.

Sheep—Receipts for the day 4,000; quality fair; market rather active and prices unchanged; quotations ranged at $4.90@5.25 per 100 lbs westerns, $3.50@5.00 natives, and $5.40@6.25 lambs.

Produce: Butter—Fancy separator, 26½@27c per lb; fancy dairy, 24@25c; packing stock, 15@16c. Eggs—Fresh stock, 16@16½c per doz. Dressed poultry—Chickens, 11@12c per lb; turkeys, 13@15c; ducks, 12@14c; geese, 10@12c. Potatoes — Wisconsin Burbanks, 75@78c per bu; Hebron, 68@72c; Peerless, 65@66c; Rose, 68@70c. Sweet potatoes—Illinois; $3.50@4.50 per bbl. Apples—Fair to good, $2.25@3.00 per bbl; fancy, $3.25@4.00. Cranberries—Jerseys, fancy, $10.00@11.00 per bbl. Honey—White clover in 1-pound sections, 14@16c per lb; broken comb, 10c; dark comb, good condition, 6@8c; extracted, 7@8c per lb.

New York.

NEW YORK, March 14.

Wheat—No. 2 red cash advanced ½@¾c early; fell ¼@¾c on increase in passage; large imports, light clearances, increased receipts; heavy Chicago markets and realizing; weak, fairly active; May and July most active; May, 76 1-16@77c; June, 76¾@77⅝c; July, 77 9-16@78¾c; August, 78¾@79¾c; September, 79@79⅝c; December, 82¾@82⅝c. Rye—Nominal: western, 60@60c. Barley—Dull and firm; state, 56@58c; western, 60@68 c; No. 1 Toronto, 92@93c; No. 2 do, 84@85c. Corn—No. 2 opened ¼c up on decrease on passage; fell ¾@¾c with Chicago and easier sale; March, —@—; April, —@—; May, 55¾@56c; June, —@—; July, 50 11-16@51c. No. 2, 54¾@55¾c; steamer mixed, —@—c. Oats—No. 2, dull and weak; state, 30½@32½c; western, 30@40c. Lard—Quiet; nominal; steam rendered, $12.20.

Live Stock: Cattle—Market dull; no trading in beeves; dressed beef, steady; native sides, 8@9½c per lb. Sheep and Lambs—Market active and firm; sheep, $3.50@5.75 per 100 lbs, lambs, $5.50@7.00. Hogs—Nominally firm; live hogs, $7.70@8.30 per 100 lbs.

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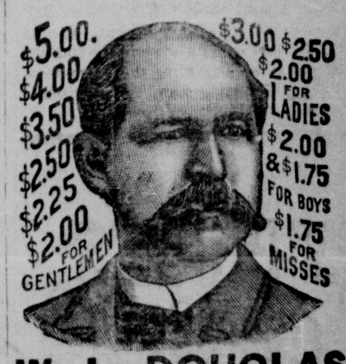
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	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Min.	Precp
Sun.	32	46	35	49	30	
Mon.	38	61	33	62	32	
Tues.	21	22	16	33	16	
Wed.	9	22				
Thurs.						
Fri.						
Sat.						

A. O. CLARK, Observer

R. R. TIME TABLE.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN R. R.

TRAINS GOING WEST.

No 1	Overland Limited	A	1:23 a m
No 7	Pacific Express	A	2:03 a m
No 11	Clinton Passenger	C	12:13 p m
No 3	Omaha Express	C	4:04 p m
No 9	Sterling Passenger	C	7:27 p m
No 5	Denver Limited	A	8:54 p m
No 35	Clinton Freight		6:40 a m

No. 11 will run through to Clinton.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

No 8	Atlantic Express	A	5:25 a m
No 6	Denver Limited	A	5:22 a m
No 2	Overland Limited	A	6:51 a m
No 10	Sterling Passenger	C	7:12 a m
No 4	Omoha Passenger	C	10:47 a m
No 12	Clinton Passenger	C	2:46 p m
No 16	Freight	A	7:35 p m
No 46	Freight	C	755 a m

"A" Daily.
"O" Daily except Sunday.

F. L. MURRAY Agent.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

GOING SOUTH.

Passenger †	11:11 a m
Passenger *	3:35 a m
Freight Passenger †	6:20 a m
LaSalle †	6:10 p m
Freight	3:00 p m

GOING NORTH.

Passenger *	2:53 a m
LaSalle Passenger †	6:20 a m
Passenger †	2:25 p m
Freight †	6:10 p m
Freight	9:00 a m

* Daily except Sunday.
* Daily except Monday.

W. G. HARTSHORN, Ticket Agent.

The trains at the North Dixon depot are five minutes later going north and that time earlier going south.

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George Cromwell, still at the Hennepin avenue feed shed, has a large stock of Timothy, and tame hay and oat straw in bail; also corn, oats, shorts, oil cake, corn meal and a fine brand of flour. These things he is selling at greatly reduced prices. 32tf

A cultivator, hay rake, hay fork, rope and pulleys, buggy, harness, a good mower, hard coal burner, cook stove, an d lot of household goods, for sale very cheap P. A. J. Bennett, corner 9th street and College avenue. 38tf

3—Home-Seeker's Excursions—3

Are announced by the Mobile & Ohio Railroad for points in Mississippi and Alabama, the garden spot of the world, thousands of acres of choice farming land can be had at extremely low prices. Trains will leave St. Louis Union depot at 8:35 p. m. on March 14th, April 11th and May 9th, 1893.

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Uncle Tom's Cabin, tonight.

—A. F Robinson is quite ill.

—Mrs. B H. Houston is quite ill.

—Thomas Gaffney is in Chicago today.

—Oscar Smith is down from Nachusa

Uncle Tom's Cabin, tonight.

—J. V. Thomas departed on a business trip today.

—T. J. Miller was in Franklin Grove this morning.

—Miss Tillie Hammerli has gone to Peoria on a visit

—George Hill and Al Porter are up from Harmon on business.

—J. W. Kent shipped a bicycle to his son, Egbert, in Chicago today.

Hear that orchestra in Uncle Tom's Cabin, tonight. Opera house.

—C. M. Henderson is out from Chicago on a visit to the shoe factory.

—H. Woodworth, of Rock Island, is registered at the Nachusa House.

—Mr. Lewis, of Fay, Lewis & Co., merchants of Rockford, is here today.

—The meeting of the Phidian Art Club is postponed from the 16th to the 23d inst.

—W. D. Card has returned from Hillsboro where he attended the funeral of an aunt.

My name is Marks; I am a lawyer. Tonight.

--A bulletin of the Chicago races is being kept at Charles Plein's place for the amusement of the sports.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Malloy, of Sixth street, are parents to a little girl that arrived at their home Sunday.

—The performers in the Bells of Corneville will meet for rehearsal tonight at Mrs. Mary Noble's residence.

—Miss Minnie Nichols, who is a guest at the Walter Little residence has returned from a visit with Sublette friends.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Lutheran church will hold a mite sociable at the W. U. Baker home, in North Dixon tomorrow evening.

Little Eva in Uncle Tom's Cabin, tonight.

—The afternoon passenger on the Illinois Central north bound today is five or six hours late on account of the burning of a bridge south somewhere.

—We understand that groceryman Phillip's delivery team ran away this forenoon, mixing up sugar and salt, kerosene and cabbages; but the extent of the damage we did not learn.

—H. L. Coffey and sister took the early morning train east. Stopping over a few hours in Chicago, they will proceed to their old home in Ohio, to spend a couple of weeks with friends and relatives.

—Early Monday morning Edward Kilduff, of Clinton, Iowa, was found dead on the sidewalk in front of his door. As there were no indications of foul play, the coroner decided it a case of "heart failure."

—Harry Moats and Miss Laura Northrup will be married at the M. E. parsonage this evening by Rev. S. Earngey. On account of the ill health of the bride's mother, Mrs. Harriet Northrup, only near relatives of the contracting parties are invited to a wedding supper at her home in Dement town.

A New State Normal Necessary.

The Northern Illinois State Normal School Bill will soon go before the committee on appropriations. It has the endorsement of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, the Superintendent of Chicago schools, and the county superintendents of Winnebago, Stephenson, Rock Island and most of the counties in the northern portion of the state. The following facts and figures are submitted by a committee appointed by the State Teachers' Association to confer with the members of the Legislature on the importance of establishing another State Normal School:

"We believe Illinois should have another State Normal because a large number of her teachers should receive special training for their important work.

"Our State Normals, which are now running at their full capacity, are educating only about 5 per cent. of our 23,000 teachers.

"The State of Pennsylvania supports twelve (12) State Normals; New York, eleven (11); Massachusetts, six (6); Wiscosin, five (5), and a bill, which is likely to be passed, is now pending asking for two more; Minnesota, four (4); Missouri, five (5); Alabama, six (6); and a number of other States in the Union have a larger number than Illinois. These states educate from 10 per cent. to 25 or 30 per cent. of their teachers in their State Normals.

"New York appropriates $226,000 annually for the support of her eleven State Normals, the students who remain during the full term receiving the return of their railroad fare.

"Pennsylvania and Massachusetts appropriate about $100,000 annually for the support of their Normal Schools Illinois appropriates about $55,000 annually for this purpose.

"Pennsylvania not only supports twelve State Normals, but appropriates $5,000,000 annually for the support of her public schools. New York maintains her eleven State Normals and appropriates $3,500,000 annually for the support of her public schools.

"Our state has only two State Normals and appropriates only $1,000,000 for her public schools.

"A State Normal should be established in the northern part of the state for the following reasons:

"A line crossing the state from east to west through the city of Streator marks the center of population. Within the limits of that portion of the state containing the south half of the population there are two State Normals, but within the limits of the north half there are none.

"Thirty four counties in the northern part of the state pay about 60 per cent of all the taxes of the state, leaving only 40 per cent to be paid by the remaining sixty-eight counties.

"Of the $1,000,000 appropriated annually by the state for the support of her public schools thirty-four counties in the northern part of the state (one-third the whole number of counties,) paid into the state treasury not only what they received in return, but an additional $128,275.16 annually during the ten years from 1882 to 1891 inclusive—a total of $1,282,751.68—which was distributed among forty-three counties in the central and southern portions of the state for the support of their public schools.

"During the ten years named Williamson County alone received $47,333.94 more from the state treasury for the support of her public schools than she paid; White County, $44,332 63; Union, $38,889 35; Hamilton $37,899 85; Pope, $33,974 88, and other counties smaller amounts, most of which was paid by the thirty-four counties in the northern part of the state."

—Miss Nellie Root, of the College, has returned from a visit at her home in Clinton, Iowa.

Marriage Licenses.

NAME	RES.	AGE
William H Morrow	Bellwood Pa.	Mature
Emma J Crawford	Tyrone, Pa.	"
Jesse W Watkins	Chicago	25
Mamie V Davens	Dixon	19
Chris Peterson	Dixon	28
Mary Hoenshield	"	26
Arthur J Medd	Paw Paw	27
Mazie E Laporte	" "	29
Harry W Moats	Palmyra	26
Laura H Northrup	Dixon	32

PROBATE COURT.

Annie L. Davis appointed guardian of heirs of George N. Davis, deceased.

Hattie L. Church appointed guardian of minor children of Charles E. Arnold, deceased.

Estate of Richol Richolson, deceased settled.

Will of Calesta M. Schultz, deceased, recorded. Letters testamentary issued to A. K. Trusdell, who gave approved bond of $10,000.

Albert Sprechel sentenced to ten days in county jail for petit larceny.

William Moffatt appointed administrator of the estate of Jacob Betz, deceased, under bond of $12,000. Appraisement issued, claim day filed.

Estate of Patrick Lyons, deceased, decree for sale of real estate. Claim of F. E. Wright for $9 60 allowed. Bond approved.

Estate of Johanna Downey, report of sale of real estate approved.

From Palmyra.

Miss Grace Eastwood returned home from Beloit, Wis., Saturday evening, where she has for three years been in the employ as stenographer, of the Norwegian Plow Works. Rumor says she will return in a few weeks, not as stenographer, but as—however we will in the future make a more definite statement as to her return.

Mrs. E C. Williams who has been very ill with nervous prostration is slowly regaining her health.

Miss Myrtle Mitchell has returned from a pleasant visit with friends in Polo. *

From Taylor, Ogle County.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ware will feel sad to hear of their recent bereavement. Their eldest daughter, Annie, died Friday, March 10, 1893, of diphtheria, aged 18 years; born near Nachusa, and moved to Taylor five years ago. Annie was of a modest, retiring disposition, and won many friends by her kindness and affibility. She leaves a father, mother, sister and four brothers and a wide circle of friends to mourn her loss. Mr. and Mrs. Ware have the heartfealt sympathy of the community.

Born, March 3, at Pittsfield, Mass., to Mr. and Mrs E. W. Bachman, a son.

Mrs. J. W. Cooper, who has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Will Floto, has returned to Dixon.

Mrs. M. W. Gilman is on the sick list.

There will be a school exhibition at the Riverside school house, Frinay, March 17th.

Mr. John Spratt has returned from Iowa, where he has been to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs Carse, who died March 2, '93.

The Tealle's Corner school closes March 15th.

Real Estater Tansfers.

J Uhl et. al. to J H Crospey and J L Hess, wd, pt sec 14, S Dixon—$10400.

M J McGowan to J Nagle, wd, pt l 1, b 56 W Dixon.

B Ackland to H E Bingart, wd, ls 5-8, b 2 West Brooklyn—$400.

Lurena Lewis to T Nicholson, wd, pt sec 20 Nachusa—$6.

T Nicholson to J Leake, sr, qcd, pt sec 20 Bradford—$5.

C Briggs to E Lyons, wd, pt sec 17, Marion—$300.

J W King to D Curran, wd, l 29 Belleview—$200.

J Harper to G H Damon, wd, pt sec 10 Wyoming—$400.

Est P Foley to L Countryman, M. D. pt sec 19 Camilton—$2102.94.

Heirs of J S Held to I B Countryman, M. D. pt sec 8 S Dixon—$340.

I Brink to Maria Bell, wd, pt sec 30 Nachusa—$1800.

J Becker, sr, to J Becker, jr, wd, pt sec 13 May—$25.

P H Foley et. al. to Ferris Finch, M. D., pt sec 17 Hamilton—$1083.15.

S Shaw to H Herrick, qcd, pt sec 6 Lee Centre—$170.

P S Winslow to Minerva Ayres, wd, pt b 47 N Dixon—$375.

J H Morris to A T Keithley, wd, pt sec 29 Dixon—$3200.

J Rhodes to Hester E Ingraham, wd, pt l 1, b 22 N Dixon—$3000.

W Jones to E T and N G Nichols, wd, an undivided pt sec 35 Bradford—$585.74.

Trustees Reynolds Township to Lydia A Horton, wd, pt sec 16 Reynolds—$45.50.

Lydia A Horton to J Sullivan, wd, pt sec 16 Reynolds—$3000.

H D Phillips to J Bennett, qcd, l 3 Highland Park—$400.

J H Molin to J F Edwards, wd, land in O'Gee sec Wyoming—$500.

C W Shultz to P P Niebergall, wd, pt secs 15, 22 Wyoming—$6886.70.

Emily Cook to Kate C Bedient, qcd, right of way along E line of S E ¼ of sec 8 Sublette—$1.

Kate C Bedient to G Stephenitch, wd, pt sec 9 Sublette—$3647.50.

O G Norris to Murphy and Galvin, wd, pt sec 14 Amboy—$3000.

O G Norris to E Murphy, wd, land in sec 14 Amboy—$3000.

W A Green to Amboy Business Men's Club, wd, l 1, b 4 Crombie's add Amboy—$500.

Sarah A Hayden et al to Robert and Mary Wells, qcd, l 2, b 6 Amboy—$1.

A K Trusdell to B Brannagan, wd, l 2, b 9 Wyman's add Amboy—$100.

C W Walker to C Johnson, wd, l 2, b 9 Amboy—$600.

C F Long to R W Roberts, wd, l 10, b 15 Wyman's add Amboy—$500.

S Brogley to O Nannery, wd, ls 3-6, b 5 Wyman's add Amboy—$865.

J F Sandford to G B Leonard, qcd, pt b 114 Dixon—$175.

A C Warner to H T Calverton, wd, l 6, b 31 N Dixon—$1400.

J W Crawford to James Gaffney, wd, pt sec 18 Dixon—$8650.

J C Ayres et al to W E Goodyear, wd, ls 69-70-71 Belleview—$800.

A A Briggs et al to J E Miller, qcd, pt sec 27 Willow Creek—$150.

J E Miller to T R Peterson, wd, pt sec 27 Willow Creek—$1690.

A S Hyde to J C J celyn, wd, pt l 1, b 24 Dixon—$700

H Heckman to A M Judd, wd, pt l 2, b Hines add—$1075.

Est J M Jacoby to A C McBride, M D, pt secs 29-32 Wyoming—$4469 47

Est J M Jacoby to F H Chaffer, M D, pt secs 31-32 Wyoming—$8848.41.

Est Johanna Downey to P J Conrad, et al, A D, pt sec 35 East Grove—$850.

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THE STORY OF A DOG.

A Bright Little Canine Was Befriended by an Athletic Young Woman.

The other day a well dressed man and woman were walking in one of the up town streets. Attention was attracted to them by the antics of a blue Skye which capered from one side to the other, leaping at their heels in the most extravagant spirit. Not long after some boys were teasing a dog in an area. A young woman, whose heart goes out to all the things that have four legs and cannot talk, put on her hat and jacket and went to the rescue. It was the same dog, now lying in an evident stupor. The young woman picked up the dog and carried it to the apple woman at the corner, whom she bribed to take care of it.

The dog revived and won the apple woman's heart. She took him to the stand every day, where he kept sentry and warned off the boys. His funny capers and cheerful spirits made him known to everybody in the neighborhood. He became the especial friend of the athletic young men whose training ground is back of the old woman's apple stand, where they let him in for a fine run.

On Sunday evening he darted across the street with a bark of joy to an approaching couple. He leaped at their sides, he tugged at their clothes with every expression of a dog's delight. "Why, it's Bruno!" they exclaimed, and at the sound of his name the dog leaped higher than before. "You see," said the woman, "he was our dog. We were fond of him, but he would chew up things." "When he chewed up a young lady's $7 bonnet and we had to pay for it," added the man, "we felt we must get rid of him," resumed the woman, "so we fed him on biscuit soaked in whisky until he was drunk; then we took him out to walk so we could lose him."

"No, we don't want him any more," said the man. "Yes, he is very fond of us; goodby, Bruno," and this couple of amiable heathens passed on. Bruno has been stolen now, and the apple woman, the athletes and the neighborhood mourn.—New York Evening Sun.

A Coal Mine In China.

The coal mines at Wang-san-shih are very interesting. There are here three seams of 24 feet, 3 feet and 14 feet, which are at an angle of 50 degrees, nearly due south. A perpendicular shaft has been sunk 106 feet with no fault. The first 25 feet were through alluvium, thence through quartzite and a few bands of shale in quartzite. The shaft is being deepened at the rate of four inches per hour. Wang-sanshih is only three miles from the line of railway and six miles from the iron mines. In summer a creek comes within half a mile of the works, and it was up this that the heavy machinery was brought to the mines by the following ingenious process:

A raft drawing only an inch to the ton was constructed, and, the machinery being shipped, was dragged up the creek till it grounded. Then a dam was built behind which caused it to float, and this was successively and successfully done until the machinery was got to within a half a mile of the mines. Hand porterage took it the rest of the way.—Invention.

A Narrow Escape For Butler.

It is not generally known that Oliver Stevens, the present district attorney, once saved General Butler's life. It was at the Charleston convention, more than 30 years ago. General Butler's course in the convention had been conspicuously bold and courageous, and his antagonism to certain elements had been noticeably unrelenting. Jack Cavanagh, a well known figure at conventions and caucuses in those days, after many bloody threats, finally one evening loaded up his revolver and himself and made for General Butler's quarters. He would have found the general unprepared and unable to defend himself, and he undoubtedly would have shot him, but Oliver Stevens intercepted Jack and spirited him away and at the same time sent word to General Butler.—Boston Globe.

The Green Cap of the Bankrupt.

There was a law in force in France for a century or more that compelled bankrupts to wear green caps. This was done to prevent tradesmen from being imposed upon by such as were unable or unwilling to pay. Successive edicts enlarged the privileges of bankruptcy, but they forfeited them if they appeared in public without green caps. If those who cannot or will not pay their debts were compelled to wear such caps at the present day, the streets of most of our cities would have rather a verdant appearance.—Philadelphia Ledger.

A Queer World.

This is a queer world where men live so that one can hardly tell which has a capital the size of the other's income. "Spend as you go," reasons one. "Go without spending," says the other—and it is left to the wise ones to tell t'other from which.—Boston Commonwealth.

A Logical Conclusion.

"Well, papa," remarked Fred, junior, who had just been spanked for insubordination, "seems to me you must have been bad, too, when you was a little boy, 'cause you always want to have your own way."—Kate Field's Washington.

The death rate in London in 1891 was 21.4 per 1,000 of the population, which compares favorably with other large towns, Liverpool rising as high as 27 per 1,000.

The Odor of an Old Library.

The library has its own odor—to the born student as alluring as that of the salt and springing waves to the born sailor. Old leather, a curious dampness, grave and wise antiquity embodied in a scent. Habitues of the Athenæum library know it in its perfection when they climb the corkscrew stairs and grope through the narrow, echoing galleries and half lit rooms packed to the ceiling with faded, dirty volumes whose very names are a lesson in ancient history.—Boston Commonwealth.

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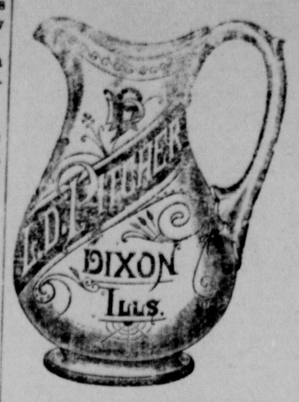
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